AMENDED IN SENATE AUGUST 30, 2011 AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY APRIL 27, 2011 AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MARCH 25, 2011

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2011–12 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 286

Introduced by Assembly Member Bill Berryhill

February 8, 2011

An act to add Section 14528 to the Government Code, relating to streets and highways.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 286, as amended, Bill Berryhill. State highways: Routes 108 and 120.

Existing law provides that the Department of Transportation has full possession and control of the state highway system and associated property. Existing law generally provides for the department to dispose of property acquired by the state for highway purposes if the property is no longer needed for those purposes upon terms, standards, and conditions established by the California Transportation Commission. However, existing law, with respect to excess properties acquired for specified highway routes, requires the commission to allocate net proceeds from the sale of those properties to alternative transportation projects.

This bill would, on and after July 1, 2013, require the proceeds from the sale of excess properties acquired by the department for improvements to State Highway Route 120, less any reimbursements due to the federal government and all costs incurred in the sale of those excess properties, to be used for improvements to-the State Highway

-2-**AB 286**

Route 108 in Stanislaus County, the North County Corridor. The bill would require the department to deposit the sale proceeds in a special account in the Special Deposit Fund, and would require that interest earnings from funds in that special account accrue to the account. The bill would require the commission to program the funds in the special account to any phase of the North County Corridor, and, upon appropriation by the Legislature, would authorize the commission to allocate the funds to the Stanislaus Council of Governments or any agency designated by that entity to deliver the North County Corridor.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 14528 is added to the Government Code. 2 to read:
- 3 14528. On and after July 1, 2013, the proceeds from the sale
- 4 of excess properties acquired by the department for improvements 5 to State Highway Route 120, less any reimbursements due to the
- federal government and all costs incurred in the sale of those 6
- 7 excess properties, shall be used for improvements to State Highway
- 8
- Route 108 in Stanislaus County, the North County Corridor. The
- 9 department shall deposit the sale proceeds in a special account,
- which is hereby created, in the Special Deposit Fund pursuant to 10
- Article 2 (commencing with Section 16370) of Chapter 2 of Part 11
- 12 2 of Division 4. Interest earnings from funds in that special account
- 13 shall accrue to the account. The commission shall program the
- 14 funds in the special account to any phase of the North County
- Corridor. Upon appropriation by the Legislature, the commission 15
- 16 may allocate the funds to the Stanislaus Council of Governments
- 17 (StanCOG) or any agency designated by StanCOG to deliver the
- 18 North County Corridor. Notwithstanding Section 16370, the funds
- 19 in the special account are not continuously appropriated.